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Applicants : Long Sheng Yu et al.  
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Sir:

**PETITION FOR TWO MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME**

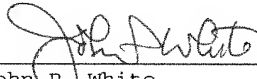
A response to the April 12, 2011 Final Office Action was originally due July 12, 2011. Applicants filed an Amendment In Response To April 12, 2011 Final Office Action on June 21, 2011. On August 11, 2011 an Advisory Action was issued refusing entry of the Amendment filed June 21, 2011. The next deadline for taking further action in connection with the subject application is September 12, 2011, subject to filing a Petition for Two-Month Extension of Time. Applicants hereby request a two-month extension of time for taking such further action. The fee for a two-month extension of time for a small entity is TWO HUNDRED FORTY-FIVE DOLLARS (\$245.00). Applicants have previously established their entitlement to small entity status. With a two-month extension of time, the deadline for taking further action is September 12, 2011. Accordingly, the subject application is pending today for the purpose of filing a Request For Continued Examination (RCE).

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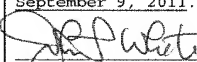
If a telephone interview would be of assistance in advancing prosecution of the subject application, applicants' undersigned attorney invites the Examiner to telephone him at the number provided below.

No fee, other than the total enclosed fee of \$650.00, including a \$245.00 fee for a two-month extension of time and a \$405.00 fee for filing a Request for Continued Examination, is deemed necessary in connection with the filing of this RCE. However, if any additional fee is required, authorization is hereby given to charge the amount of such fee to Deposit Account No. 03-3125.

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